

Topic Area: Maternal and Child Health

MCH-1: Reduce the rate of all infant deaths

Target:	4.8 per 1,000 live births
Baseline: (Year)	5.1 per 1,000 live births (2007)
Data source:	Matched Infant Death-Birth Certificate Database, Center for Health Statistics, New Jersey Department of Health

MCH-2: Reduce low birth weight (LBW) and very low birth weight (VLBW)

MCH-2a: low birth weight (LBW) (< 2,500 grams)

Target:	7.7 percent of live births
Baseline: (Year)	8.1 percent of live births (2008)
Data source:	Birth Certificate Database, Center for Health Statistics, New Jersey Department of Health

MCH-2b: very low birth rate (VLBW) (<1,500 grams)

Target:	1.4 percent of live births
Baseline:	1.5 percent of live births (2008)
Data source:	Birth Certificate Database, Center for Health Statistics, New Jersey Department of Health

MCH-3: Increase the proportion of pregnant women who receive prenatal care beginning in first trimester

Target:	79.4 percent of live births
Baseline: (Year)	75.6 percent of live births (2008)
Data source:	Birth Certificate Database, Center for Health Statistics, New Jersey Department of Health

MCH-4: Increase population of women who abstain from alcohol use during pregnancy

Target:	99.5 percent of live births
Baseline: (Year)	94.2 percent of live births (2008)
Data source:	Birth Certificate Database, Center for Health Statistics, New Jersey Department of Health

MCH-5: Increase abstinence from cigarette smoking among pregnant women

Target:	94.8 percent of live births
Baseline: (Year)	88.9 percent of live births (2008)
Data source:	Birth Certificate Database, Center for Health Statistics, New Jersey Department of Health

MCH-6: Increase the proportion of infants who are put to sleep on their backs

Target:	80.0 percent
Baseline: (Year)	69.0 percent (2006-2008)
Data source:	Pregnancy Risk Assessment Monitoring System, Maternal, Child and Community Health Services, New Jersey Department of Health

MCH-7: Increase the proportion of infants who are breastfed

MCH-7a: Ever

Target:	85.0 percent
Baseline: (Year)	72.1 percent (2007)
Data source:	Breastfeeding Report Card, Division of Nutrition, Physical Activity, and Obesity, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

MCH-7b: At 6 months

Target:	60.0 percent
Baseline: (Year)	42.3 percent (2007)
Data source:	Breastfeeding Report Card, Division of Nutrition, Physical Activity, and Obesity, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

MCH-7c: Breastfed exclusively through 3 months

Target:	45.0 percent
Baseline: (Year)	29.8 percent (2007)
Data source:	Breastfeeding Report Card, Division of Nutrition, Physical Activity, and Obesity, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

MCH-8: Reduce the proportion of breastfeeding infants who receive formula supplementation before two days of age

Target:	10.0 percent
Baseline:	38.0 percent (2009)
Data source:	Breastfeeding Report Card, Division of Nutrition, Physical Activity, and Obesity, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

MCH-9: Increase the percentage of New Jersey delivery facilities that provide maternal and newborn care consistent with the WHO/UNICEF Ten Steps to Successful Breastfeeding.

Target:	50 percent
Baseline: (Year)	0 percent (2007)
Data source:	Breastfeeding Report Card, Division of Nutrition, Physical Activity, and Obesity, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and Baby-Friendly USA

MCH-10: Reduce the birth rate among females aged 15-17

Target:	11.4 births per 1,000 females aged 15-17
Baseline: (Year)	12.0 births per 1,000 females aged 15-17 (2008)
Data source:	Birth Certificate Database, Center for Health Statistics, New Jersey Department of Health

MCH-11: Reduce the proportion of children aged 1-5 years who have an initial blood lead level $\geq 10\mu\text{g/dL}$

Target:	0.9 percent
Baseline: (Year)	1.3 percent (2005-2008)

Data source:	LeadTrax, Maternal, Child and Community Health Services, New Jersey Department of Health
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MCH-12: Reduce mean blood lead levels in children aged 1 to 5 years to an average blood lead level of ≤ 2.9 $\mu\text{g/dL}$

Target:	2.9 $\mu\text{g/dL}$
Baseline:	3.2 $\mu\text{g/dL}$ (2005-2008)
Data source:	LeadTrax, Maternal, Child and Community Health Services, New Jersey Department of Health

MCH-13: Increase the percentage of infants receiving diagnostic follow-up after a positive screen for hearing loss by 3 months of age

Target:	80 percent
Baseline: (Year)	60.7 percent (2009)
Data source:	Special Child Health and Early Intervention Services, Maternal, Child and Community Health Services, New Jersey Department of Health